

## The Telephone, Parcel Post and Good Roads

The telephone, the parcel post and good roads are conveniences valuable beyond measure to both city and rural dwellers.

Each Bell Telephone is the center of a vast system which enables every one to communicate quickly and economically with any section of city, county, state or nation.

Good roads permit the farmer to deliver promptly the produce he has sold over the telephone, and with the least wear and tear on vehicles and stock.

The parcels post delivers, cheaply and immediately, the merchandise which both city and county merchants sell over the telephone.

Each of these wonderful modern conveniences work in harmony with the other to save time and money and add to the convenience and happiness of each person who is wise enough to take advantage of them.

The Bell Telephone system has been so greatly improved and so widely extended that a telephone service is now an economical necessity in both office and home. It serves the purpose of the housewife and the merchant with equal facility and accomplishes with ease what would otherwise consume useless energy and time.

Hendersonville is accessible to every section of the state and nation by means of the Long Distance telephone. The farmer within the county or the broker in a distant city can transact business here satisfactorily without leaving his office or home.

Recently two new circuits have been constructed between Hendersonville and Asheville and new facilities have been added in other directions. Work is constantly in progress to perfect local service and Hendersonville has the benefit of the same engineering skill and experience that is afforded the largest exchanges in America.

For all practical purposes Hendersonville is the center of the Bell system and is accessible, at small cost, to every Bell telephone within a radius of a thousand miles or more. This convenience is enjoyed every day at a remarkable saving of time and worry.

A great many farmers in the vicinity of Hendersonville have connected with the exchange here and the service has proved so valuable to them that they would not do without it under any circumstances. We are directing our efforts toward interesting other farmers, thus attracting a larger patronage to the merchants and other business interests of this city.

We are very much interested in the growth and progress of Hendersonville and shall do our part towards promoting the prosperity of the community. Our investment here is a large one, the plant is modern and constructed with a view to future growth and we are maintaining the service at a high state of efficiency.

With the co-operation of our subscribers we can make the telephone system here the pride of the community and increase its value to each individual subscriber. We are anxious to do our part and you can help by reporting promptly any difficulties you may experience.



### Asheville Telegraph and Telephone Company

